Foster School Committee Minutes

Captain Isaac Paine School 160 Foster Center Road Foster, RI 02825 Friday, July 17, 2009 Open Session – 5:00pm

1. Convene Meeting

Chair, Ron Cervasio, called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

2. Roll Call

Committee members in attendance were Ron Cervasio, Chair, Dennis Chretien, member, and Inerim-Superintendent, Dr. James Halley, Helena McCullough, School Committee Secretary. Also in attendance were three members of the Administrative Search Committee. Those members included Kathleen Swanson and Michael Paolucci. Mrs. Bernard was absent.

3. Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

4. Report and Recommendation of the Selection Committee

Chair, Mr. Cervasio moved the report and recommendation to Executive Session.

5. Vote to go into Executive Session for discussion and/or action regarding those items of business referred to in R.I.G.L. 42-46-5 (a) Personnel - Interview of Candidate for Superintendent/Principal. The School Committee voted to go into Executive session on a motion by Mr. Chretien and seconded by Mr. Cervasio. Motion passed. 2-0-0. Mrs. Bernard was in attendance at his time.

6. Return to Open Session

On a motion by Mr. Chretien and seconded by Mrs. Bernard the School Committee voted to go into Open Session at 6:50 pm. Motion passed. 3-0-0.

7. Appointment of Superintendent/Principal

On a motion by Mr. Chretien and seconded by Mrs. Bernard the School Committee appointed a Superintendent / Principal for the 2009-2010 school year to be announced later due to confidentiality of the candidate and giving notice. Motion passed. 3-0-0.

8. Concerned Citizen's

No concerned citizens but Mr. Cervasio asked for 'Work Study Program' to be added to the July 28th Agenda.

9. Adjournment

On a motion by Mr. Chretien and seconded by Mrs. Bernard the School Committee voted to adjourn at 7:00 pm. Motion passed. 3-0-0.